



PATENT

Serial No: 10/743,711
Docket No: 02207/17046

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: Jourdan et al. Confirmation No.: 8328
Application No: 10/743,711 Customer No.: 23838
Filed: December 24, 2003
Group Art Unit: 2183
Examiner: Dillon J. Cody
For: Predicting Instruction Branches With A
Plurality of Global Predictors Using Varying
Amounts of History Information

RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop - Amendment

Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

Applicants respectfully respond to the Final Office Action mailed October 16, 2006 as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.